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TO: REGULATIONS CONTROL STAFF, [REDACTED]

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CONCURRENCE SHEET

PROPOSED ISSUANCE: [REDACTED] Dissemination of Non-CIA Produced  
Cables and Telegrams  
Draft B dated 5 December 1955

CONCUR:

- GC only (A) Substance  
(b) Classification  
(c) Distribution  
(d) Authentication by DCI is not required.

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Office of General Counsel

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30 December 1955

COMMENT :

1. As expressed in the paragraph on Policy, the purpose of this regulation is to centralize control of non-CIA produced cables and telegrams in OCR.

2. Paragraph 1 of the regulation, as proposed in the draft, separates an ill defined category of messages which are not subject to such control. The continuation of this language would permit each Agency component to make a determination as to what is and what is not "of a routine administrative nature" providing a loophole which could defeat the regulation's entire purpose.

3. After conversation with [REDACTED] of OCR, who originated the regulation, and [REDACTED] of OL, who suggested the change in paragraph 1, it has been agreed that the underlined portion will be omitted, reverting to the original language. The paragraph will then read:

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"This regulation outlines the policies governing the control and dissemination within CIA of non-CIA produced cables and telegrams. It does not cover the dissemination of CIA produced cables and telegrams."

4. Where, as in the Office of Logistics, certain routine administrative non-CIA cables are received which are of no permanent file interest to OCR, ad hoc arrangements will be made by memorandum between OCR and the office concerned. In this way, control will remain in OCR and OCR will make determination as to which items do and which do not fall under this regulation.

5. On the foregoing basis, this Office concurs in the proposed regulation.

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